

International Function Point Users Group

www.ifpug.org

The International Function Point Users Group (IFPUG) is a non-profit organization committed to increasing the effectiveness of its members' IT environments through the application of function point analysis (FPA) and other software measurement techniques. IFPUG endorses FPA as its standard methodology for software sizing and maintains the Function Point Counting Practices Manual, the recognized industry standard for FPA. IFPUG serves more than 1,200 members in more than 30 countries.

COCOMO

<http://sunset.usc.edu/research/>

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The Constructive Cost Model (COCOMO) Suite is a collection of six COCOMO-related estimation models in various stages of development. These models attempt to estimate impacts on software system cost, development schedule, and even return on technology investment associated with a variety of software development approaches and processes.

Space Systems Cost Analysis Group

<http://sscag.saic.com>

The Space Systems Cost Analysis Group (SSCAG) is a non-profit, international association of aerospace organizations representing industry and government. SSCAG members are involved in space systems cost analysis, including hardware or software related to launch systems, spacecraft, payloads, experiments, and space-related ground systems.

International Society of Parametric Analysts

www.ispa-cost.org

The International Society of Parametric Analysts (ISPA) is a non-profit educational society devoted to the promotion of parametrics, risk analysis, econometrics, design to cost, technology forecasting, and management. Many ISPA members currently participate in the Parametric Estimating Initiative, enabling them to rely on parametrics as the primary basis of estimate. ISPA chapters provide technical workshops, training, and networking opportunities.